Thursday, January 14, 1999

Expo to showcase services in community



Mobile mammography van coming to KSC

▲ United Way Showcase: The third annual Community Services Expo will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 21, in the Operations & Checkout Building Mission Briefing Room and the Launch Control Center lobby. As many as 57 agencies are scheduled to participate in this year's event. The Expo enables United Way to showcase the wide range of services in the community. All employees are invited to become more familiar with what services are available should they have a personal need or crisis. Individuals will also be able to discuss volunteer services with an agency of particular interest. Center Director Roy Bridges will open the Expo at the Mission Briefing Room at 10 a.m. and the Launch Control Center at 11 a.m. For more information, please call 867-2363.

▲ Mammograms Available at KSC: The Women's Center for Radiology offers mammograms to women age 35 and older, and women younger than 35 with a doctor's order. The mammograms are offered on a "low dose unit" by a certified technologist and are read by a board-certified radiologist. The 30-minute procedure includes a video presentation of breast self-exam. This service is available to NASA civil servants as part of the Federal Employees Health Program (FEHP) physical exam; other employees must pay a charge of \$60 at the time of service. Insurance forms are available. The mobile unit is onsite every other month, either the second or third week, on a Tuesday. The next scheduled date is Feb. 16. Look for the mobile van in the southwest corner of the KSC Headquarters parking lot. Please call 1-800-367-1870 for an appointment.

**Legal Use of Government Autos:** The use of vehicles owned or leased by the Government is restricted to official Government business. NASA and contractor employees who use GSA vehicles are reminded that using them for personal reasons such as visits to cafeterias, Credit Unions or Sundry Stores or for supplementing car pools is illegal.

**Requests for Printed Material:** KSC employees who would like copies of NASA printed materials such as press kits, brochures, or fact sheets for personal use can contact Sandy or Joy at Fan Mail, 867-4050.

**Did You Know?** Martin Luther King Day: Monday, Jan. 18, is a federal holiday honoring the birthday (Jan. 15, 1929) of Martin Luther King Jr. An excerpt from *Jewish Family & Life: Traditions, Holidays, and Values for Today's Parents and Children* (authors Yosef I. Abramowitz and Rabbi Susan Silverman) reveals the world-wide influence of Rev. King. It states, "The World Jewish Congress, in a meeting with Coretta Scott King in 1994, declared Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday an international Jewish holiday. The widow of the slain civil rights leader spoke movingly of her husband's commitment to equality. . . and his rejection of anti-Semitism. 'It is the fulfillment of a dream to have Martin's birthday become an international holiday,' she said, thanking the representatives of Jewish communities from around the world."

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